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INTEGRATED RAIL BUS TRANSPORT SERVICE
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the main objectives of the Integrated Rail-Bus Transport Service scheme;

(b) the cities where the said scheme is proposed to be implemented; and

(c) the time by which the Integrated Rail-Bus Transport Service is likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a)to(c): The proposal for an Integrated Rail-cum-Bus Transport System had been proposed by the National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB) to connect Delhi with Gurgaon and Ghaziabad. However, there are proposals for extension of the Delhi Metro itself of these cities. In view of this the proposal of the NCRPB was reviewed and it has been decided that fresh proposals would be prepared for improvement of connectivity in the National Capital Region after taking into account the terminal points of the Delhi Metro. Detailed proposals for improving connectivity after taking into account the terminal points of the Delhi Metro are yet to be finalized and a Task Force has been constituted for this purpose. Time frame for implementation of these proposals can be indicated only after the final proposals have been received.